

### Changes to 2018 ADEA PASS Forms

All ADEA PASS Evaluations are now fully electronic. Applicants applying to advanced dental education programs will no longer be able to submit paper evaluations to ADEA PASS®. Applicants will be required to obtain valid email addresses from evaluators for ADEA PASS to contact them electronically to complete the evaluations in the upcoming application cycle.

#### 1. Changes to the Institution Evaluation Form (IEF):

- **New questions added:**
  - Length of time IEF preparer has personally known the applicant:  
Options: 6-12 months; 12-24 months; More than 24 months; Other
  - Does your dental school calculate a GPA for its students?  
Options: Yes or No
  - Does your dental school rank its students?  
Options: Yes or No
  - If you have selected no for one of the above options, please provide a brief description of the academic merits of this applicant's class. When possible, the applicant's relative position in the class should be noted.
- **The List of Attributes** has been removed from the IEF with the exception of Ethical Behavior. Ethical Behavior is listed with an open text field with a limit of 1200 characters for comments.
- **Overall remarks** have remained on the IEF with a limit of 3600 characters.

#### 2. Changes to the Professional Evaluation Form (PEF):

- **New questions added:**
  - Length of time PEF preparer has personally known the applicant:  
Options: 6-12 months; 12-24 months; More than 24 months; Other
  - Relationship to applicant:  
Options: Professor; Employer; Peer; Advisor; Other
- **The List of Attributes** has changed from 15 to the 10 indicated below with required comments for each:
  1. Integrity,
  2. Professional Demeanor,
  3. Clinical Skills,
  4. Reaction to Criticism,
  5. Didactic Knowledge,
  6. Critical Thinking,
  7. Interpersonal Skills,
  8. Organizational Skills,
  9. Self-Awareness, and
  10. Maturity.

*Note: The rating options (exceeds expectations; meets expectations; does not meet expectations; not observed) have not changed.*